

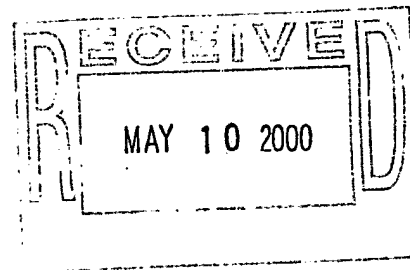
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Applicants: R. Mileti and D. George Group Art Unit: 3721
Serial No.: 09/483,117 Examiner: Not Assigned
Filing Date: January 14, 2000 Docket: D-20063-01
Title: HEAT SEALER FOR THERMOPLASTIC FILMS

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